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PATENT
CASE NO. 56/369

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application:)
Sebastian Tondorf et al.)
Serial No.: 10/079,922)
Filed: February 20, 2002)
For: SECURING ARRANGEMENT)
FOR TRANSPORTING AND)
MOUNTING A MEASURING)
SYSTEM, AND SUCH A)
MEASURING SYSTEM)
Group Art Unit: 2856
Examiner: Raevis, Robert R.

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

This Amendment responds to the Quayle Action mailed October 1, 2003. Accordingly, please amend the drawings and the Specification and cancel claims 15-17 without prejudice as follows:

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In the Drawing:

As shown in the accompanying replacement sheet and marked-up replacement sheet, please amend the drawings as follows.

FIG. 4b has been amended to include a tool identified as numeral 100. The changes have been indicated in red in the marked-up replacement sheet. It is not believed that the changes involve new matter.